Attorney's Docket No. P-8873

**PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John F. Norris

Group No.: 3737

Serial No.: 09/558,871

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For: Implan

Implantabe Medical Device and Method Using Integrated T-Wave Alternans

Analyzer

## PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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- 1. This application became abandoned on August 30, 2000
- 2. This petition is filed:
  - [X] within one year of the date of abandonment.

[ ] within three months of the date of the first decision on a petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a), which was filed within one year of the date of abandonment.

(check next box, if applicable)

[ ] The three month period has been extended up to

3. This application became abandoned because the failure to prosecute was an unintentional delay.

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| 4. Proposed response   |
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| [ ] has been filed.  |
| [X] is attached.   |
| (complete the following, if applicable)  |
| [ ] The response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application copending with this application. |
| 5. Fee (37 CFR 1.17(m))  |
| Application status is:   |
| <ul><li>[ ] Small business entity-fee \$</li><li>[ ] A verified statement is attached.</li><li>[ ] A verified statement was filed.</li></ul>   |
| [X] Other than small entity-fee \$1,240.00   |
| 6. Payment of fee  |
| [] Enclosed please find check for [] \$605.00. [] \$1,210.00.  |
| [XXX] Charge Account 13-2546 for any additional fee required.  |
| [XX] Charge Account 13-2546 the sum of <b>\$1,240.00</b> .   |
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### A duplicate of this petition is attached.

#### 7. Verification

[X] I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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| <del></del>      | Signature of person making statement that abandonment was due to an unintentional delay |
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